

SIR!!
STAY HEALTHY!!

I'LL NEVER
FORGET THE TASTE OF
THAT CLUB!!!

ADIOS!!!

FRIENDS FOREVER

HEHE



PLEASE.
SLAY THAT MONSTER
AND SAVE OUR VILLAGE!

DUN DUN

GULP...





**NEXT TIME'LL BE
YOUR HEAD!!!**

LOOKS LIKE
**THE WORST POSSIBLE
REPLACEMENT
HAS COME.**

HOLD ON!!!

WHOOOSH

**MR. SUBSTITUTE!!
IT'S US!!!**



I WILL NOT FORGIVE THEM!!!

ASSHAT

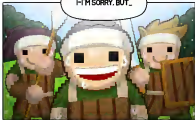
I'M WARNING YOU!!!







I'M SORRY, BUT...





AH~ RIGHT~! THERE
WAS A CALL RECORD THERE~!
ALTHOUGH I COULDN'T SEE
WHO MADE THE CALL~

...!



WE HAVEN'T
USED OUR PHONE IN AGES.
I WONDER WHO COULD'VE
USED IT~?

CHIK

I SEE.



I JUST GAVE HIM
THE MISSION~

ALREADY...?
WHY DIDN'T YOU TAKE
HIM TO A SHOP OR
SOMETHING TO BUY
SOME TIME FIRST!



OH MY~
ALREADY TRYING
TO BLAME THIS ON
US IN CASE THE PLAN
FAILS LATER~?

...BYE

_TRUSTING
SOMEONE DOESN'T
GUARANTEE ANYTHING.

AH~ THAT'S
EXACTLY WHAT
I EXPECTED FROM
A STIFF LIKE YOU~!

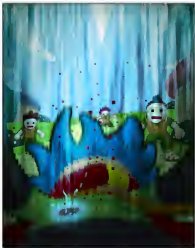


HUHL?



...?





WELCOME, HERO.

STEP













OKAY~

WHISH



I WONDER IF THE
REPLACEMENT ARRIVED..
LET'S GO TO
SASQUATCH'S SPOT
FIRST FOR NOW!

WHERE'S
THAT?

SEE THE BLANK SPACE
ON THAT MOUNTAIN
OVER THERE?

AH~ OKAY
FLUTTER

I'LL GET
GOING RIGHT NOW~!

OH MY~ SO MANLY~!

TATATATA

HE'LL
TRY "TALKING"
TO HIM?!

I'M WARNING YOU!!!

MAGIC?!!



I'M ARNICA,
THE HEAD OF
THIS VILLAGE.



SORRY THAT YOU
HAD TO COME AND SEE
THE VILLAGE WHEN
IT'S A TOTAL MESS.

AND WHY'S THAT~?



SIGH



ISN'T THAT
THE HERO?



HUH... HE'S
ALREADY HERE?!
OH CRAP...
WHAT NOW...

A-ANYWAY,
GET OUTTA HERE!! THE VILLAGE
IS A NONCOMBAT ZONE!!

WE'RE NOT
HERE TO FIGHT!!

NO WAY NO WAY

WE JUST
WANNA PLAY!

STUBBORN

ALRIGHT!
I'LL TRY TALKING
TO HIM!

DUN DUN



I KNOW YOU GUYS SAID
YOU'D HANDLE MANAGEMENT
OF THE VILLAGE...



BUT THIS HERO'S
GOT TOO MANY VARIABLES.
SO WE'LL TAKE OVER IF THINGS
GET OUT OF HAND.

HH~ IT DOESN'T
SOUND LIKE YOU
TRUST ME~

.....





WE LIVE OFF OF
THE SPECIAL HERB
THAT GROWS ON
THE NEARBY MOUNTAIN.

BUT ONE DAY,
A MONSTER SUDDENLY
APPEARED ON THE MOUNTAIN
AND TOOK IT OVER, AND
HAS BEEN HURTING ANYONE
WHO APPROACHES.

THAT HERB IS OUR
ONLY SOURCE OF PROFIT.
IF THIS KEEPS UP,
THE VILLAGE WILL FALL
TO PIECES.



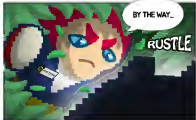
AREN'T YOU COMING DOWN?
THE HERO'LL BE THERE SOON~

THE REPLACEMENT
STILL HASN'T ARRIVED...
I'LL MOVE ONCE I
KNOW HE'S HERE.

UHL MR HERO_?

HERB VILLAGE

YEEES~?



DID YOU LOOK
INTO THAT THING
I TOLD YOU TO?

DON'T JUDGE
THINGS BY THEIR
APPEARANCE

WELL, IT'S NOT
A MATTER OF THEIR
APPEARANCE...

HEY!! ARE
YOU GUYS NUTS?!!
WHERE DO YOU THINK
YOU'RE GOING!!

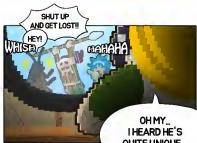
WHISPER

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WELL,
WE WERE
JUST
PLAYING
TOGETHER.
GIMMARD

AND HE
SEEMS PRETTY
COOL...





OH MY...
I HEARD HE'S
QUITE UNIQUE.

**BUT I DIDN'T
THINK IT WAS THIS LEVEL!**



I TOLD YOU,
NORMAL REASONING
DOESN'T WORK ON HIM.

HEHEHEHE

HERO!

CLASP

SOUNDS LIKE YOU TOTALLY TRUST ME~
WHAT A SURPRISE~

GUARDIANS OF THE VIDEO GAME

STAGE 22 - THE MAGIC CASTLE

_I'M HANGING UP.

SEE YOU,
GUYS~! IT WAS
FUN~!



BUGS AREN'T ALLOWED IN HERE.





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THIS MOUNTAIN IS MINE!!!

HUUUH?!





STAY BACK!!!

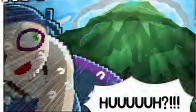
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RING



**IF ANYONE DARES TO
APPROACH THIS MOUNTAIN..!!**

KSSSHH~



HUUUUUH?!!!







ALRIGHT~

DANGER
DO NOT ENTER

TIME TO CLIMB~!

TA

OA

STEP



NEXT TIME, I'LL AIM FOR YOUR HEAD!!!



I'LL SAY IT AGAIN!!!

**CAN'T DISTINGUISH
FRIEND FROM FOE...**



